May 16, 2004

Honorable Jose Esteves 455 E Calaveras Blvd. Milpitas CA 95035

Mayor Esteves,

This August the Milpitas Kiwanis and Mervyn's will be sponsoring the annual Child Spree for approximately 100 children. As you know, the Child Spree event enables underprivileged children of Milpitas to start the school year with \$100 worth of new clothes. For most of these children it is the first time they have been able to shop for new clothes and get a fresh, positive start to their school year.

Last year the Milpitas City Council authorized a \$1,500 grant to the Milpitas Kiwanis towards Child Spree. This grant provided new clothes for 15 Milpitas children. Can the Milpitas Kiwanis count on the City of Milpitas again this year? It would be great if the Mayor and the Council could provide \$1,500 for the 2004 Child Spree. I would be happy to address the Council at a City Council meeting of your choice.

Please let me know if and when this matter will come before the City Council.

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